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fathers and sons-in-law and nephews would yield to the same influences. Such Wants Sole conditions precluded an independent inquiry into the army failures in Africa were calculated to impair gravely efficiency of the public service and nish the chances of reform in the em of national defence. The same er work of nepotism had entered army and navy, and it was the gen-opinion that many of the disasters outh Africa were, traceable to offi-who had obtained their commis-s by family influences.

relations."

Proceeding to explain his connection with the two companies, Mr. Chamberlain said he had joined the Colombo Company 23 years ago. Its shares had never been quoted on the stock exchange. The contract to build houses for Boer prisoners in Ceylon was given to the Colombo Company on the responsibility of the local government,

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self.

So far as the Birmingham Trust was concerned, he said he knew nothing whatever of its investments, although he had recently ascertained that there was a trilling investment in the Tubes Limited, since his brother managed the business of the organization, but the company's already small business with the admiralty had largely decreased. After having made further explanations of a similar kind, Mr. Chamberlain excluimed, amid ministerial cheers:

"Is it not hard to have to deal with such rubbish as this? When all is reckoned up, perhaps my indirect interests in government contracts is a few pounds or even shillings; and yet the House of Commons is called upon to pass a solemn resolution which will not strike me, but would be a self-denying ordinance for many members who do not anticipate that result."

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In an eloquent perogation the Colonial Secretary declared that the attacks had not injured him, but had given pain to a number of private individuals. Those who had made them, he asserted, had introduced into public life unworthy methods, and had made it more difficult for honorable and sensitive men to serve the country. He was loudly cheered as he resumed his seat.

His son, Mr. J. Austin Chamberlain, financial secretary to the treasury department, followed with a similar deniat; Mr. R. B. Haldane, Radical, member for Haddingtonshire, and others spoke, after which Mr. Lloyd George's

vote of 269 to 124.
Mr. Arthur J. Balfour, government leader, then moved the closure, which was carried by 253 vetes against 106 and the address to the throne was adopted by 265 votes against 23.

Control of Canal

Mr. Money Wishes to Disregard the Obligations to Great Britain.

United States Senate Discusses for Five Hours Hay-Paunce-

the Isthmian canal, Senator Chandler asked Senator Fryes omake Secretary Hay's position with reference to resigning public, but the Maine senator declined, saying he was only authorized to make the announcement to the sciente. Senator Chandler retorted that that was equivalent to giving it to the public, and the senate then lapsed into a discussion of the ways in which the executive secrets get into the newspapers.

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THE NORTH POLE.

Several Expeditions Now Outfitting For the Arctic.

London, Dec. 10.—Mr. Evelyn Baldwin, of the United States weather hureau, who is preparing an expedition in search of the north pole, has arrived here to consult with scientists and inspect ships. He will go to the continent at the end of the week. Mr. Baldwin informed a representative of the Associated Press that he had definitely decided to adopt the Franz Josef Landroute, the Greenland route being well ecovered by Peary and Sverdup, and that he hoped to get away next summer. The famous Russian ice-cracker Ermack, which is to attempt to reach the northpole in 1901, under the command of Vice-Admiral Makaroff of the imperial Russian mary, is now being fitted out at Newcastle for the expedition; and Capt. Bernier, the Canadian explorer, is busy in London fitting out the Scottish King. He will appear before the Royal Geographical Society and outline his plans. What with these expeditions and the German expedition, the year 1901, promises to be eventful in the history of searches for the north pole,

Going to Australia

Announced in Cabinet Meeting That Sir Wilfrid Will Represent Canada.

Will Be Unable to Attend Ceremonies of Commonwealth Inauguration)

But Will Take Part in Opening of the First Parlia-

Ottawa, Dec. 10 .- At to-day's meeting

of the cabinet the Premier announced strong desire that Canada should be ence of Sir Wilfrid on this occasion, and settled that their colleague should go.

This announcement confirms the report sent out a few days ago, but which was

when the Duke and Duchess of York will be present.

The Dominion parliament will be called together early, and it is fully expected that business will be so advanced by April 1 as to enable Sir Wilfrid to

by Apa.
leave.
Col. Otter's final report of the doings of the first contingent was received today. The following men took their discharges in South Africa: Corporals-Fowle and McNeil; Privates Andrews, Dalbreg, Mallock, Morrison, Moodie, Roberts, Tierney, Doneet, Walters and Wallbridge. The following men were left in different hospitals: Corporals Beehr and Soper, Privates Barnstead, Chisholm, Walsh, Wilkie, Wilkins, Corporals Gerhardt, Lamdenlee, Smith,

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Farewell to The Canadians

London Parts With the First Contingent With Cheers and Tears.

The Regiment Escorted to the Station by Immense Crowds.

London, Dec. 10.-The detachment the Royal Canadian Regiment, consist ing of Companies A. F. and I. which reached England about a fortnight ago on its return home from South Africa left London this morning for Liverpool The Scots Guards accompanied

men to the railway station, where Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, high commissioner for Canada, and other promin ent personages bade them farewell.

To what extent the Canadians won the hearts of Londoners evinced from the curious mixtures

won the hearts of Londoners was evinced from the curious mixtures of men, women and girls who, hanging upon the arms of the soldiers, marched with them to the station, crying, cheering and waving their hands. The Canadians will sail on the steamer Lake Champlain to-morrow.

From Col. Otter down, they expressed intense appreciation of the warm reception accorded them in London.

The Evening Standard, which has special sources of information, says this evening, that a great battle between the British forces under Gen. Knox and the Boers under Gen. Dewet is going on.

Mr. Kruger received a message from the Czar on Friday night, says the correspondent of the Times at The Hague. It was concled in very friendly terms, but the fact that its existence has been kept secret is sufficient to indicate its author's intention to abstain from any active steps relative to intervention. The active steps relative to intervention. The Czar naturally pleads his illness as a sufficient excuse for not interfering.

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Mr. Kruger, when cheered by the
growd on his return from the cathedral
festerday, turned and roundly rebuked
hose near him for such a desecration of
he Sabbath.

A DOUBLE DEATH.

Two Brothers Far Separated Die at the Same Time.

Winnipeg, Dec. 10.—(Special)—Robert Strang, a pioneer resident of Winnipeg, died to-day of inflammation of the lungs. Deceased was 67 years of age, and came to Winnipeg in 1871. Coincident with the death of his brother, Mr. Robert Strang, Mr. Andrew Strang received the sad news this morning of the death of another brother, Mr. Collin Ferry Strang, of Edmonton. This double affliction is a great shock to the friends and relatives of the deceased brothers, both of whom were well known and were well known

WESTMINSTER ELECTIONS

Result of the Voting For Aldermen and School Trustees.

New Westminster, Dec. 10-(Special) New Westminster, Dec. 10—(special)— The municipal elections passed off very quietly to-day. This was accounted for to a large extent by there being no mayoralty contest, Mayor Scott having been elected by acclamation. The contest for aldermanic honors resulted

follows:
J. C. Brown, 346; B. W. Shiles, 311;
A. E. Woods, 276; W. Johnston, 274;
W. H. Keary, 271; W. Forrester, 246;
George Adams, 231;
Thos. Ovens, 226; Sinclair, 215; Jagger, 150; Calbrick, 148; Hancock, 51;
Herring, 48, also ran.
The following were elected as school trustees: Mrs. Agnes Hill, Messrs, J. Reid and J. Cunningham.

BURGLARS BUSY.

Offices and Houses Entered by the Mid-night Prowlers—Police Hard Worked.

Although the police have been mossuccessful in rounding up the perpetration of recent robberies, including profession of the the sound, some of whom got very severe sentences, an oys belonging to the city, who got owith light sentences, there are still some of the light-fingered gentry in the city During Saturday night, the offices of Doctors E. C. Foote and Moody, at the orner of Broad and Yates streets, were actered and a number of surgical in truments and other articles stoler from the number of cigar stubs an aurured matches strewn around Dodocy's office, it is apparent that the

produced by age and high quality.

GREGG-MEYER

VICTORIA, B. C.

Two Popular Victorians Joined in Wed lock at St. James' Church Yesterday Afternoon.

St. James church was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday afternoon, when Rev. Canon Beanlands performed the ceremony which united the fortunes of Mr. Charles A. Gregg, of the staff of the Colonist, and Miss Stella Meyer, eldesr daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Meyer, of Dallas road. The church was well filled and decorated as it was for the occasion looked brilliant indeed. Promptly at the appointed time, 5:30, the bride entered the church with her parents and attended by her bridesmaids, Misses Laura Morrison and her sister, Misse Gertrude Meyer. The bride was attired in a charming travelling dress of royal blue, with togue to match, and her bridesmaids looked well in pretty gewns of grey, trimmed with blue and pink, respectively, with hats to match. The bride was met at the altar by the groom, who was attended by Mr. G. H. Davey. The ring was given and the pledges made, and then Mr. and Mr. C. A. Gregg left the church, and were driven to the residence of the bride's narents, on Dallas road, where a reception was held from 6 to 7 p.m., and many were the friends of the brida couple who took advantage of this to extend congratulations to them. The residence was decorated for the fete. Ly, and evergreens hung in festoons on all sides and at one end of the room was a canopy of evergreen, beneath which the couple stood to receive the congratulations of their friends. The dining room was also decorated, strings of iyy hanging from corner to corner, and the table was most temptingly laden.

That the young couple who had just entered a life partnership were popular was another decomption who had just entered a life partnership were popular was another decomption to the the couple was most temptingly laden. James church was the scene of

was amptly demonstrated by the array of presents received by them. The groom joined the staff of the Times some years ago, and after being associated with that paper for several years as telegraph editor, became editor of the Globe, joining the staff of the Col-

Presentations To Lord Roberts

Grateful Cape Colonists Give Him a Sword of Honor.

He Explains to Premier Spragg That Farm Burning Was Necessary.

Capetown, Dec. 10.—The official recei day, together with the presentation of was a magnificent spectacle, and was witnessed by 26,000 people.

Representative troops of all the force of the colony, including the Canadians, hall to the square, accompanied by : ing flowers from windows and balconies

After the presentation of the sword and a casket, subscribed for thousand Cape Colonists, Lord Roberts presented to a number of troops distinguished service medals and other de

Lord Roberts' wife and daughter ar

Moody's onice. It is apparent that the third spent some time there, quietly rest, ing in the operating chair. Sprinkling Bros, 'Indoring workshop, on the same floor, was also entered and an overcoat valued at \$30 taken.

Victoria West was again visited, this time Mr. Percy Raymond, of Spring field avenue, being the sufferer. During the absence of the family, the house was entered and two gold watches, a gold brooch and other trinkets and \$5 in cash taken.

The police are rounding up all suspicious characters and many of the officers are working double hours in an endeavor to put a stop to the stealing. They must, however, have the co-operation of the citizens, if their work is to be successful. Every theft and circumstance should be reported and particularly every door and window barred.

Moody Source, the same and about a same repeating a report, "says again and propolled the cances in to the friends are epreading a report," says the Amsterdam correspondent of the Daily Mail, "that Queen Willelmina to the heach, then hauling them up a big "Wa-was was held, after which the Ahousetts will intervene after her marriage. This is meant to blind the public to the rail the Amsterdam correspondent of the Daily Mail, "that Queen Willelmina will intervene after her marriage. This is meant to blind the public to the real time. Amsterdam correspondent of the Daily Mail, "that Queen Willelmina will intervene after her marriage. This is meant to blind the public to the real will intervene after her marriage. This is meant to blind the public to the real will be an adminate propelled the cances in to the beach, then hauling them up a big "Wa-was was held, after which the Ahousetts will be an adminate propelled the cances in the theach, then hauling them up a big "Wa-was was held, after which the Ahousetts will be a heach to the reliance and there way along the beach to the beach to the reliance and the way along the beach to the beach to the path was was was held, after which the Ahousetts will be a heach to the reliance and

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Wreckage |

Nameboard, Lumber Boat's Gun wale, Oars and Lifebelts Found Near Carmanah

How Ahousetts Went to Nootka to Invite Tribemen to Potlatch.

Steamer Queen City, which returned from Sootka and way ports on the West Coast of some craft and a strange assortment of is in charge of the Carmanah light, discov Island coast, and he describes it as follows A broken board, painted red, with yello letters A. L .- evidently the final two letters nd figures were about eight inches long and grooved lumber, painted white, severa white; a great many empty cases and four

Whether this find means that disaste tell, for the present, nothing can be learn What the life belts of the old San Pedro, if they indeed be from that vessel, found, is a mystery indeed. The old San destroyed, and her life belts of use, or perhaps into the hands sent them to some vessel, whose owners have neglected to paint out the old name. Capt. Whitelaw, of San Francisco, took much of the gear, life belts and so on from the San Pedro to San Francisco.

the San Pedro to San Francisco. The weather has been very go off the Coast and in the North Pacific, and ge found does not offer any indication hatever that it came from that vessel, in whatever that it came from that vessel, in fact, the letters of the nameboard found at Carmanah do not harmonize at all with the letters of the vessel in question, the ship Gertrude, which sailed on November 25 from Astoria, and bumped on the bar in leaving the Columbia river, causing her to leak. She then started up for the Stratts, to come in for repairs, but although a fleet of tugs have been looking for her for the last six days, no word has been heard of her.

last six days, no word has been heard or her.

The fact of the boat's gunwale and the oars being found looks very like as if some persons had tried to make the shore, or else the boat of some prospectors or coast travellers has broken adrift coincident with the arrival of wreekage on the bosom of the Japan current, which sets into the Island coast where the wreekage was found, and now and then leaves a memento or two of wreek there.

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Another interesting item of news brought by the Queen City was that a big potiateh is shortly to be held at Ahousett, a peace celebration on similar lines to those of Chief Kowdowatt, of the Chikats. The Nootkas and Ahousetts have not been on the best of terms for years past. The trouble arose from the fact that the Ahousetts had a hablt of goinf up to some islands where sea otter abounded until a few years ago and hunting on these rookerles which the Nootkas regarded as their preserves. From time to time the two tribes have endeavored to cement a better friendship, and to this end thirty-five of the Ahousetts were passengers as far as Nootka on the Queen City to Invite the Nootkas and the Mucheletts to the big feast at the lower the Mucheletts to the big feast at the lowe

the Mucheletts to the big least at the low-coast-rancherle.

The giving of the Invitation, which was witnessed by those on the Queen City, was a most formal affair. As Nootka began to heave in sight the delegation made great preparations for their landing. They berwed some vermillion from one of the offi

ing up as far as that port. There were, though, several minor feasts at other points

The Queen City is expected to bring down a shipment of ore from the Monitor mine on this trip, on which she sails to-day or tomorrow. Nothing was received from Wreck Bay, the high tides having again compelled the miners there to abandon the work for a time. There was about two hundred and fifty tons of ore from the Monitor mine in the ore bunkers at the end of the nerial tramway awaiting shipment on the steamer for the Tacoma smelter. The owners of this mine have a large force of men at work and shipments will be made, it is expected, by every steamer from the Const. The shipment to come on the next trip is another sten in the onward march of the Coast mines.

The steamer brought down 3.041 cases of salmon from the Ciavoquot cannery for the track which would accrue to hark Naiad, which completed the enroy of that vessel. She had as passengers P. T. Childs, who has been up to the Dewdoner syndicate's prenerty at Sidney Inlet; W. Price and 6. Forrest, from the Coaper in the interest of the city, and moyil that the ltem be changed from \$10 to 250.

Ald, Beckwith seconded he motion.

Ald, Yates add not conder that \$250 would compensate Mr. Solly for the work land done in the interest of the city, but in consideration of his evices and his evident willingness to elige the city and and Mrs. Walton.

IMPERIAL HOTE

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Them Still

Craigflower Road Nightmare Affects Bewildered Mayor and Aldermen.

Motions for Improvements to James Bay and Pandora Avenue Adopted.

That everlasting Craigflower Road By Law kept the tongues of the aldermen wagging merrily for two hours last night only progress made was the striking out of the words "not being heretofore public

adoption of motions regarding the reclamation of James Bay flats and the improve ment of Pandora avenue for park purposes From the secretary of the board of trade Association convention to be held in this

Canon Beanlands, re an accident caus e one of his parishioners by falling defective sidewalk. Referred to city sol citor and finance committee for report. Herbert Cuthbert wrote as follows:

Victoria, Dec. 10, 1000.

Dear Sir:—I beg to enclose a cepy of t resolution passed by the special committ appointed by the citizens to take into co view of your proposals on this matter, it think it is due to the members of that condition that the result of their deliberation of the considered of course, as a memoral members of that committee, you are aware that crail meetings were held at which matter was discussed from almost extandpoint, and that the committee arriant at a decision favorable to the building of the preparance readyway and the filling in of permanent readyway and the filling in of

tee which adopted the resolution was to have reported the same to a public meeting, but as that meeting has not been hell, the committee now reports directly to the council. Laid on the table, bad condition of Beacon street in regard bad condition of Beacon street in degard to sidewalks and drainage. Referred to city engineer to report to the stret committee,

A. R. Jennings called attention to alleged impassable condition of Tolmic avenue. Referred to street committee.

Mrs. R. Graham, of Chatham street, requesting that the council take action on a previous petition of residents of that street for more lights towards the Chambers street end. Referred to Hight committee.

Edward Mailon, asking the "emoval of rose bushes from, and improvement of the road committee.

REPORTS.

The Mayor pointed out hat Ald. Yates The mayor pointer.

Ald. Cameron objected if the manner in which the matter was broght forward.

Ald. Stewart questioned he Mayor's ruling, whereupon His Wordin read the clauses bearing upon the qestion.

The report of the financecommittee was the majorited.

MOTIONS.

successful in putting throughthis sch s he had been in his plan for consolidat

all roadway over the bay, and hoped the

Stewart endorsed the Mayor's Ide

Ald, Hall also favored the scheme

ngineer, than whom and his staff it w

Ald. Beckwith would like further infor

vas calculated. He also emphasized the ne

and getting rid of the unsightly shacks with

Ald, Cameron would heartly support the

His Worship added Ald. Yates to the con

CRAIGFLOWER ROAD.

whole to resume consideration of the Craig-lower Road By-Law, His Worsho in the

Ald. Kinsman asked that the "slort" by

aw, which provided for the cost of expro-printion and compensations, be pild from

Ald. Stewart moved the striking out of clause one and the substitution of another

which removed certain properties from the Ald. Yates moved an amendment to clause

ive the owners fair conpensation for the

Ald, Kinsman disagreet with Ald, Yates

He believed in people geting the full value of their land or nothing. This agitation ne said, was confined to 1 few malcontents

said, pointing to a little growd of carework

looking citizens who were holding dow

would not be intimidated by a handful o law-abiding, peaceful citizens." (Laughter.

ne night to hiss me and cheer for you?

Ald. Yates again urged the adoption of h mendment, which was opposed by Ald Illiams, who supported the passing of the 'snall by-law," contending that it would

e a satisfactory solution of all difficulty

Ald Beckwith said Ald. Williams' proposal yould open the way for anyone, wh

ther he had title or not, to obtain paymen for ground which he did not own. Whil not agreeing with Ald. Yates, he was wil

ng to support his amendment in order

The Mayor thought Ald. Yates' propos

he only falt way out of the difficulty.

Ald. Brydon moved, as an amendment
he amendment, that the words in clas

despite anything that the

no title.
Clause one, as amended, was then carried, and the committee rose aid reported, without having passed the by-kw, and the council adjourned.

"Mumm" Is the Woil.—The imposs
of champagae into the Inited States by
the sole agents of the various brands
om January 1 to Deember 1, 1900,
were as follows:

mendment as an addition to clause Ald. Brydon would not consent to the

be struck out, which was carried

the inxlous seats beyout the bar

which provided for payment to pro-

motion was then put, and carried

council went into committee of the

proposal would be carried out

be difficult to find a more comp

nue to be derived from the reclaim

then adopted.

BLAKE-WEEKS-At \$, Barnabas' church Victoria, B. C., on the 8th Instant, by the Rev. E. G. Miler, rector, Wilfred, eldest son of Georie Weeks, Jordan Meadows, V. I., B. C., formerly of St. Bees. Cumberland, England, to Constance Louise, youngest daughter of C. R. Blake, Pemberton road, Victoria, B. C., formerly of Bristol, Pagland.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MOTIONS.

Ald. Beckwith's motion t improve and beautify Pandora avenue, th text of which has been published in the Colonist, was then read.

In support of his motion Ald. Beckwith explained that many residat ratepayers had expressed their willingess that the work should be done under the local improvement clauses.

Ald. Stewart seconded the motion, but considered that the work was for the general good, and saould come at of the general funds.

Aid. Williams considered the Beacon Hill should be improved before the city undertook the making of another link.

Mayor Hayward, in introduling his resolution, re the reclamation if James Bay flats and the building of a penanent roadway over the bay (as published in the Colonist) explained that the proposal was not a new one, as a scheme with the same object in view had been considered as fart back as 1874, since which several plans had been brought forward, but here corrected. JLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS ON

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ject in view had been consilered as far back as 1874, since which several plans had been brought forward, but have carried further than the preliminary stage. He thought the present the most practicable scheme that had been proposed, and that the time was ripe for definiting atton to be taken by the city. The estanted cost, \$100,000, would easily be required to the city from the rent of the lark reclaimed. for improved farm property in Sanda good - whichan districts. Address, wit particulars, Heisterman & Co., Victoria WANTED-By youth, 16, position in whole sale or mercantle house. Small salary a ceptable, rather than be out of emilo-ment; references. Address B, C., Coloni-office.

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Vast Fleet Of Steamers

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It was loarned on good authority yesterday that the Canadian Pacific railway are to have a line of river steamers in service on the Upper Yukon river during next season of navigation. As will be remembered, during the rush to the Klondike, when there was talk of an All-Canadian route to Dawson and a railway from the Stikine head to Dawson, the C.P.R. built a fleet of river steamers for the Stikine. These vessels which were named after various explorers, whose names became famous in connection with the northwestern territory, went up to the Stikine, but were soon withdrawn. The McConnell, Ogilvie and another, have been since at Wrangel and two are at Vancouver One, the Tyrell was sold and ran last year on the Yukon. The steamers will be taken for service last, year between White Horse and Dawson, there will be over-40 next spring, for not only are many new vessels to be built and new vessels taken to the river, but many of the steamers in service on the Lower Yukon, of the Alaska Exploration Co., the Monarch and a number of others. Then there are three vessels to be built and new vessels taken to the river, but many of the steamers in service on the Lower Yukon, of the Alaska Exploration Co., the Monarch and a number of others. Then there are three vessels to be built and new vessels taken to the river, but many of the steamers in service on the Lower Yukon, of the Alaska Exploration Co., the Monarch and a number of others. Then there are three vessels to be built and new vessels that the place of the Stikine of the steamer Hattie Young, of New York and some by another northeric company. In all the number of vessel running or the river next year will bover 40, and not far short of 50.

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MARINENOTES

TWO FLOUR CARGOES.

Steamers Glenfoyle and Glenshiel Hurry Their Freight to Vladivostock.

Steamers Glenfoyle and Gleushieline, sails to-day forthe Orient, which are loading flour for Vladivostock The British ship Vachusett, so long will have more too much time to get their Theory of the Northern Cargoes into that port before the orders of the force establishing the new tariff. The flour is being rushed to Vladivostock because of a Russian decree that on and set of the Royalist, which ish the free ports in Eastern Shoriant their the same duties as are free the same duties as are free with a cargo c sugar from Java, and levy thereat the same duties as are free with a cargo c sugar from Java, and levy thereat the same duties as are free with a cargo c sugar from Java, and levy thereat the same duties as are free with a cargo c sugar from Java, and levy thereat the same duties as are free with a cargo c sugar from Java, and levy thereat the same duties as are free with a cargo c sugar from Java, and levy thereat the same duties as are free with a cargo c sugar from Java, and when the same completed she francisco Examiner says:

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Delay in Making Awards For Building of New Revenue Patrol Steamers.

of New Revenue Patrol Steamers.

There is some inexplicable delay in the awarding of the contract for building the two steamers for revenue and fishery patrol duty, for which tenders were submitted nearly two months ago. The tenders were to be all in by November 1, when the award was to be made at Ottawa. Although six weeks have chapsed since that time, no word has yet been received in regard to the vessels by Capt, Gaudin, local agent of the department of marine and fisheries, and nothing has been heard by the tenderers. As the tenders were despatched direct to the department, the list of tenderers is at present unavailable.

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Sterial Association Meet and Discuss Police Commissioners'

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Chief Langley, questioned in regard to the statement made at the meeting of the Ministerial Association, that gambling was not stopped, as ordered on Saturday, said that he had made every effort to see that the order was strictly enforced. The sergeants and officers had been instructed to see that the rule was obeyed, and he, late Saturday night, made a personal inspection, and when he went home felt sure that not a game was going on. It was possible, he said, that one or two small poker games had been overlooked, but all would be stopped. If any games were reported, he would quickly raid them.

As the Chief pointed out, the police are very busy at present, and even if tiey were not, it would be hard to immediately stop playing in those saloons, the proprietors of which endeavored to evade the rule. Most of the houses obey it to the letter.



NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS.

The Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works hereby invites the Archi-tects of British Columbin to submit, on or before Saturday, the 22nd day of December next ensuing, (competitive) drawings, specifications and estimates of cost, for the construction of a Government House at Victoria. B. C.

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Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works. Lands and Works Department. Victoria, B. C., Oct. 31, 1900.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Order-in-Council of the 23rd Aurust, 1900, which provides for the discontinuance, from the 1st day of July, 1900, of the rebate on all imber exported beyond the limits of the timber exported beyond the limits of the Province, has been amended so as to provide that the said rebate shall be allowed to and be discontinued from the 31st of December, 1900, on all timber shipped to FOR-FIEN pages of the province of the said rebate. EIGN ports without the Dominion

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ember, 1900.

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S. SEA, Jr. SARAH E. SEA,

Executors of the estate of the above named Dayld Dale, deceased.

Bank of British Columbia for a Certificate

IN THE MATTER of the application of the Bank of British Columbia for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to Lot Forty-Three (49), Fairfield Estate, Victoria City, and Lots Seven (7), and Elght (8), Block Seventy-Five (75), Victoria City, NOTICE is hereby given that a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above hereditaments will be issued to the Bank of British Columbia on the 10th day of March, 1901, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or in some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General,
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Secretary and Manager Bank of British
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S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General,
Land Registry Office.

Registrar-General. Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., 27th November, 1900. THOS HOOPER

ARCHITECT

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BRITAIN'S WELCOME.

The First Contingent will leave Liverpool to-day for home. The manner in which they were greeted by the people of England, from Her Majesty down to the crowd upon the streets, has been most cordial, and testifies better than can be expressed in words to the appre-ciation in which their services to the Empire are held. There has been nothing finer than this in the history of the Empire, except the way the boys volun-teered and the way they fought for Queen and country. The cheers of the London crowds will be heard all over the world. They show that the unity of the Empire is an accomplished fact. of the Empire is an accomplished fact, and as such is welcomed in the Em-

pire's heart.

The days in London and elsewhere in England must have been proud ones for the Royal Canadians. They must have telt as few men from the Colonies ever felt before, that they were partners in an especial degree in the greatness of Britain and in an especial manner representative of the Imperial idea. Many of them, perhaps the majority, never saw the sheres of Britain until they went there as the nation's guests. Many of them are sprung from families which have resided so long in what is now Canada, that they cannot name an individual the whole United Kingdom who is of

voluntary exile, representatives of the youth of Canada should visit Britain after fighting for the Empire in distant South Africa. The British Empire is

er Land extended. We are all proud of No soldiers ever did their duty which the flag represents, to the present they have been everything of which

LUMBER EXPORTS.

onist for the railway by-law was that lumber could be shipped from Vancouver and there is no power in the land which Island to Mainland points as soon as a by arrangement or otherwise, can get rid means of ferrying loaded cars was provided. To this some people very loudly that under the law the seat is made talking all manner of nonsense. To-day vacant by the tendering of the notice, we learn that the Victoria Lumber Com- worth while discussing what Mr Gardon we learn that the Victoria Lumber Company, operating at Chemainus, is about intends or does not intend to do. We preparing extensively for this very business. The ferry transfer between the E. & N. railway and the C. P. R. has in Garden, which he ought to have done in R. N. ranway and the C. T. M. and the fluenced them to put in a plant for the utilization of a large amount of luminated by the seat and become eligible for vacated his seat and become eligible for ber that has hitherto been burned, and ber that has hitherto been burned, and also for the manufacture of shingles. It is said that the plant will cost in the regishorhood of \$100,000. This will neighborhood of \$100,000. This will the seat which he infended to resign. give employment to more men, besides Mr. Garden is a very different type of utilizing a lot of material that has here-tofore been only in the way. Doubtless, after the railway ferry is established to connect with the Great Northern and is extended across the mountains to the Boundary district, a portion of the output of this mill will come down over the obvious lesson from it was that per E. & N. and be shipped eastward from fect cleanliness is absolutely essential

derive from rail connection with the men will read it. One is composed of Mainland. Our opinion on the subject those who will call it nonsense and of is, that no man is sufficiently far-seeing no practical value; the other will lay to form any adequate estimate of the good which will flow from it. We have the view of showing that the dairy deon this Island very much that the Main-scribed was not merely a toy, we may land wants, and all we need is the best add that the proprietor, Mr. Darling, of available means of getting it there to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, claimed that it have our prosperity greatly enhanced. was a business proposition, and he rethave our prosperity greatly enhanced. Some persons may ask why all lumber fused to admit that what he did could

PERSIVAL R. BROWN, Manager. en out of it. When it comes from the kiln it must go into the car, and it must stay in the car until it reaches its des CRAIGFLOWER ROAD. Referring again to the Craigflower Council ought to follow. Nothing was said in regard to the merits of the claim certain persons for compensa-It is quite possible that they may tion. have a perfectly valid claim, and that

Road, we may mention that the article in Sunday's issue was only intended to deal with one aspect of the case, namely the general line of action which the City

tended to be shipped in closed cars is kiln dried. In such a condition it must

not be exposed to rain, for it will soon absorb all the water that has been to

the government is bound in law as well as in equity to recognize the claim and pay what is reasonable. We cannot ery well express any opinion on thi point, but the facts may be stated. The deed from the Hudson's Bay Company Russell, which is the foundation of all the titles in that particular tract shows a road running across certain parts of the property, which is now sublivided into lots. There is on the plan a statement that exempt from the deed for roads. ever right the Hudson's Bay Company retained by that reservation passed t he government on the extinguishment o the Company's title. Later the tract was platted, and it is claimed that the government had notice of the platting, and accepted it. By that platting the road was disregarded and certain streets were substituted, which gave to public uses a greater quantity of land than was reserved in the road. It is claimed platting and substitution by taxing the lots as shown upon the plat and selling some of them at tax sales. This, it is claimed, must be taken to be recognition by the crown of the substitution of the

MR. GARDEN'S SEAT.

liable to make the claimants good for

mising alleged legal questions? That Mr. Garden is still a member of the legislature, because his resignation has not been accepted. Mr. Garden is also reported to have said that he is not a party to any arrangement for the non-rica a degree of liberty, which they could not find at home. It is a wonderful thing that after nearly three centuries from the date of their forefathers' voluntary exile alleged in Vancouver by some people that Mr. Garden is still a member of House, he may rise in his place and say so, and the moment the Clerk enters the notice on the Journals the person giving it ceases to be a member. If the House Canada should give her returning is not in session, or during the session heroes no less a welcome than the Motha declaration of his intention to resign under his hand and seal before two witnesses, and send it to the Speaker, and better. From the day, when they offered their services to defend the principles their services to defend the principles the moment it reaches the Speaker the contribution. seat becomes vacant. The Constitution Act reads as follows: "And the mement they have been everything of which act reads as follows: "And the member canada should feel proud. The wellows come they received in Britain appeals to see all. It was meant not only for the brave boys themselves, but for the country which sent them forth.

"Act reads as follows: "And the member country to the resignation shall be for so tendering his resignation shall be held to have vacated his seat and cease to be a member of the Assembly." Nothing can be plainer than this. If Mr. Garden made "a declaration of his intuition to resign his country to be some in which the seat of the country to be seat in which the seat of the country to be seat in the country to be a member of the Assembly." intention to resign his seat in writing under his hand and seal before two wit One of the arguments made by the Col- delivered to the Speaker," he ceased ipso nomination to the House of Commons

BUTTER-MAKING.

man to that.

Some time ago the Colonist printed for the production of high-class butter This is only the beginning of the ad- The Los Angeles Cultivator republishes vantages which Vancouver Island will the article and says that two classes of One is composed of

cannot be sent from the Island to the not be accomplished by any other man. Mainland on scows and be loaded on He said to the writer that his neighbor the cars afterwards. The answer is, Mr. Havemeyer, went in for fancy that it is necessary to dry certain kinds dairying, but he himself only wanted to of lumber before it is shipped in closed cars for a long haul. The railways charge by weight, and wet lumber was nothing about the establish weighs very much more than dry.

Hence shingles and other material in turned the churn, and the And there really was nothing about the establishment, ex cept, perhaps, the water motor, which turned the churn, and the peculiarly constructed ice-house, which could not be reproduced on any farm. The peculiarity about the ice-house was due to the object aimed at being to secure cisterns of ice-cold water in which to immerse the creamers, and the necessity of using poor ice for that purpose. The essential feature of the dairy was cleanliness The cattle were allowed to run in pas ture; they drank spring water; they were milked in a clean barn; and the butter was made in a perfectly clean All these things are obtainable anywhere. It did not cost any more to make the butter than it would to have made an inferior article, except so far as the additional cost entailed by keeping the barn clean went. Doubtless the old lady who made the butter was skilful, but she was chosen for her position, not

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The Czar is not at home to Mr.

at last. He will fight bravely before he He may yet give a lot of

To Mr. Fred. Peters: Greeting:-There is a vacancy on the "foorce" whenever you feel inclined to change your occupation.

Atlin was disfranchised at the Burrard election by the failure of the ballot boxes to reach there in time. If they, had got there, the result would not have been altered to any material degree.

If the government asks the House of Commons to vote Col. Otter \$20,000, streets for the road. This is what we had in mind in Sunday's paper, when we said there was a mixed question of in recognition of his services to South Africa, the only wish of the public will fact and law involved in the claim of the lot owners. Under this state of facts it seems as if the government may be be that it might be made more. He has one his duty well and deserves recognition.

any loss which they may sustain through the opening of the road. In saying this, we do not wish to be understood as pre-judging the case which may finally be presented to the government, but it is are wholly irreconcileable. A few them are susceptible of explanation, but only right that the public should know why some polls went one way and tho that the lot-owners are not setting up merely a straw-claim, but that their adjoining ones another in the curiously mixed fashion that prevailed is beyond is entitled to investigation on its

There is nothing at all unlikely in the Why do not people read the law before increase the number of Senators by six under the provisions of the British North America Act. If this is done, it will give the Liberals something very close to a majority in that body. Nine appointments were made during the last two years; there is a seat now vacant, and this, with the six new Senators. would make sixteen to be added to the original Liberal contingent.

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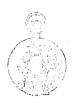
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Hospital Directors,—A meeting of the board of directors of the Jubilee hospi-tal will be held on Friday evening at the board of trade rooms. Assay Office and Chemical Laboratory. 28 Broad street. W. F. Best, assayer.*

Short List.—There are but three applications for transfers to come before the board of licensing commissioners, who hold their quarterly meeting to-morrow Rosalie leaves Inner Wharf at B p. m. Regardless of the weather

Some people don't realize their privi-leges. What would not the inhabitants of Ladysmith have given for a plentiful supply of Hondi Ceylon Tea? Good Roads.—A general meeting of the British Columbia Good Roads Association will be held in Victoria on December 18. All members and all persons desirous of becoming members of the association are invited to attend. Delegates from all farmers' institutes, boards of trade and municipal councils are expected. Regular excursion daily, except Satur days, on Rosalie, to Seattle. Return trip only \$1.00.

In order to help you decide at home what to buy, Weiler Bros, have gotten out a special Xmas catalogue, with 130 illustrations, all priced. Houses Fumigated.—Three houses in which there had been diphtheria and scarlet fever were fumigated yesterday afternoon by Sanitary Inspector Wilson, All rubbish and debris were burned and two formuldehyde machines were operated. The Maltby family, who are now at the isolation hospital, formerly lived in one of the houses. For good groceries and liquor for family use, call at Blue Post, 114 and 116 Johnson street. J. M. Hughes. A carload of new styles of furniture received on the 8th at Weiler's. Music Cabinets, Centre Tables, Chiffoniers,

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Last Rites.—On Sanday afternoon, at half-past two, the funeral of the late William Gowdy took place from No. 34 Hock Bay avenue, the family residence, Right Rev. Bishop Cridge conducted the services both at the house and the grave. A great many friends were present. The pall-bearers were: M. Hare, J. Walsh, R. Carter, A. McGregor, G. E. Smith and F. Gilchrist.

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Local Council of Women

Proceedings at the Annual Meet ing Held at City Hall Yesterday.

Reports for the Year Read and Adopted---New Officers Elected.

The sixth annual meeting of the Local Council of Women was held in the conneil chamber of the city hall vester Twenty-four societies were represented by four delegates from each. The morning session commenced at 10 o'clock with silent prayer and the recepo'clock with silent prayer and the recep-tion of two new societies—the Ladies' Everyone can own a Piano. Aid of the First Congregational church, and the Historic Society of Victoria. The following address was then read by the president, Miss Perrin:

Members of the Executive and Delegate of the Affiliated Societies of the Lo cal Council of Women of Victoria and Vancouver Island:

ing and improving the social, moral and intellectual conditions of the world.

Centralization is the fundamental principle adopted by the Council of Women, but it cannot be too often impressed upon us all, that the success of the whole body depends upon the work of the individual.

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Everything new; New Valencia Raisins, New Royal Buckingham Clusters, New and Cleaned Fine Filiatra Currants, New Mixed Peel, New Jordan and Valencia Almonds, New Crystalized Fruits, full range just arrived for Erskine, Wall & Co.

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On a purchase of \$2.50 for Cash, we give 2 pieces of Sheet Music, and a Puzzle.

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## Second Letter From Santa Claus.

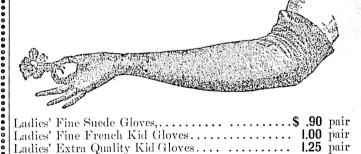
When you receive this letter I will be well on my way to Victoria and The Westside. I am sending you a picture of my leaving home. Shew it to all the dear children in Victoria and be sure you tell them that I am bringing a Monster Christmas Tree along with me, it is the Biggest and Grandest one you ever saw, and such a lot of Beautiful Things to decorate it with-Don't forget about the Xmas Grotto and the Big Dip Ponds, you remember what fun they caused the last time I saw you. Tell the dear children they have just to put their hand in a big box and draw a splendid prize every time. And be sure you tell the children to write to me and post their letters in the big red letter box in your store. My deers are ready for a long, hard run—I have a big boat with me in case of accidents—expect to arrive in Victoria on Friday or Saturday. Wake up those Candy Makers, you must have thousands of boxes of candy ready for me when I arrive so that I can give them away to all the dear little children who come to my reception at the Christmas Grotto. Good bye. I will write you to-morrow, give my love to all the dear little boys and girls in Victoria, and believe me,

Your faithful old friend,

Santa Claus. See our window for par- P.S.—One of my Brownie Scouts has just returned and reports a lot of hungry bears along the road I am going-am getting my gatling gun ready for them. Won't there be fun!

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## The life of a race by an earaest place." The great International Council of Women, with its representatives from 10 affiliated National Councils and 18 other countries of the world, coming down through the National Councils, to the Local Councils, and through each affiliated society to each individual member, should make that individual member feel an interest in, and do all in her power to learn about, the doings of every branch of an organization that is upholding and strengthening the many departments of social, philanthropic and educational work, which are thus represented. Here in Victoria, as everywhere, it seems so difficult to induce the individual members to enlarge their horizon, but in reality it is the best stimulus to individual effort to look out beyond our own thry atmosphere, and see what others are doing, and to watch the progress and development of work all over the world. Although the subject is to be treated specially this afternoon, I cannot refrain from referring to the event of the year, in the coming of the National Council of Women of Canada to hold its seventh annual meeting in Victoria. We heard of the acceptance of our oft-repeated invitation with not a little alarm, but we feel now, that the work of preparation, difficult and bewildering as it 65 FORT STREET, NEAR DOUGLAS. Danderine, the infallible hair restorer, has arrived. Also Pompadour Rolls. Switches, etc., in great variety, at C. Kosche's Hair Store, 55 Douglas St. LOST OR FOUND one cent per ord, each insertion—The Daily Laxative Bromostumine Tablets Colonist. could be desired in STYLE, TASTE, COM-FORT and PRICE. We carry a full line of DR JAEGERS, CARTWRIGHT & WARNER'S, the cele-brated HEALTH BRAND, and other lines. NEW XMAS NOVELTIES arriving daily, including all the latest patterns in NECK-WEAR, SHIRTS. SUSPENDERS, SMOK-ING JACKETS, ETC. Do You Want—A situation? One cent a word an issue, in the Colonist Want Column will fill the bill. Try it—only 25c.

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### **Local Council** Of Women

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seemed, was amply regaid by the success of the meetings, and the accounts received from those who visited us make us quite sure that the time was enjoyed, and that the meetings themselves attained to their usual standard of excellence. Such a time should act as a stimulus to future work; if a little more spirit and enthusiasm could be put into what we do, and if the many, instead of the flow would take their share in of the few, would take their share in the work, a great difference would soon be visible, both in the character and the amount of our undertakings.

This council should be the medium of imparting the doings of its many affiliated societies, not only at the annual meeting, when, I think, the three-minute papers should be one of the most important items of the programme, but also from time to time during the year, and the societies in their turn should be made acquainted from month to month with the special work undertaken by the council. If this is not done, it cannot be wondered at that the interest lags and members question the use of remaining as an affiliated society. Tomembers question the use of g as an affiliated society. To regret the withdrawal of two ions, and I believe their drop-

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the employers and employees—it must be supported by the customers, and by them, made practicable. No idea is contemplated of interference between employer and employed, only as the power is us given for the passing of a municipal bylaw to close stores during certain hours on a certain day, if two-thirds of any class of storekeepers ask for it. It is hoped that employers will agree to extend the same privileges as are given in nearly every city in the Old Country and in many in our own Dominion.

The Women's Council is especially interested in stores where women and girls are employed, and it is to be hoped that a weekly half-holiday may before long become an accomplished fact.

We feel that we must have our share

meanwhile, for the girls nothing has been done. We are all agreed that domestic science for them is as essential as manual training for the boys; and Prof. Robertson's delightful descriptions of the girls at work in the different and housekeening, each a well

erease the many existing avenues to especially interesting, as it is the account of what took place here hast July.

In conclusion, may I personally thank to the officers and all with whom I have been associated in this direction, a forward step is made in the atainment of the end.

It is honed that some discussion will work while it nevery way. The success of any which well repays all the trouble expensions to the control of the nection of the National Council, deputation from our executive having the convergence of the National Council, deputation from our executive having the officers and all with whom I have been associated in this local council, for the National Council, deputation from our executive having the officers and all with whom I have been represented to the National Council, deputation from our executive having the officers and for the National Council, deputation from our executive having the officers and all with whom I have been associated in this local council, for the National Council, deputation from our executive having the officers and all with whom I have been represented by the art Go when the officers and for the National Council, deputation from our executive having the officers and in the officers and all with whom I have been associated in this local council, for the National Council, deputation from our executive having the officers and the officers and the officers and the officers and the officers are also as the officers and th

The annual report was then read by the corresponding secretary, Mrs. Gal letly, as follows:

thank been very kindly received by her at Gov-

The meeting, before separating, asked hat a sincere message of sympathy and seteem be sent to Mrs. Higgins, whose interest in the work of the council in ormer ye i has been so great. The singing of the national anthem grought to a close a most successful neeting. The officers and delegates were entertained at a reception at Bishopschose in the gening.

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The public meeting arranged for the evening in the council chamber of the evening in the council chamber of the evening in the council chamber of the city hall will no doubt be largely a tended. As will be seen by the puramme, all the items are of general well as special interest. The report the formation, in September of the Year, and the progress of the Victor branch of the Camadian Historic Society will be appreciated by man. The paper on "Individuality in Dress will call forth much discussion, aski

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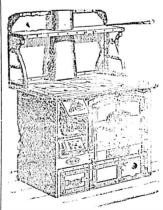
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|            | housekeeper's point of view it is beset<br>with the initial difficulty—that of getting been enabled to send \$210 to the head                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Proposed by the Ladies' Aid, First Pres-                                                  | wiser to err on the safe side than to                                              | TEDRITIONE SOUR.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| BB         | subjects in which all local councils are interested—the immigration of women and ciels from the Old Country. We back our president, whom we hope will                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | until 1 a.m. on Monday, and if the present                                                | very hard-hearted as soon as we join the                                           | I CO TO NE UNE REPORT EN N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| E7         | and girls front the Old Country. We back our president, whom we hope wing                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | law he impracticable, that they be asked                                                  | Friendly Help, etc., etc. These, too, we                                           | Free Caracha Con Contract of the Contract of t |
| Hr         | vantages of good wages, and regular for many a long year to come. Her ab-                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | that it can be enforced. Moved by Mrs.                                                    | emphatically deny, and our statistics will                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 14 e       | work to offer but the right class of sence was very much len, and our joy                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Wood, seconded by Mrs. Newbigging.                                                        | bear us out in the demail.                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|            | workers is not sent out in sufficient at seeing her again very genuine.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Proposed by the Women's Christian Temperance Union.—Whereas the growing dese-             | During the year ending November,                                                   | TIME TABLE No. 39.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
|            | numbers for us to do without the help of spent in making arrangements for the                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | cration of the Sabbath has a demoralizing                                                 | 1900, we have assisted about 100 families or individuals. This assistance has      | CHAIR TABLE NO. 35.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
|            | bright labor, the service destinated annual meeting of the National Council                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | effect upon the community, and renders<br>largely ineffective the many efforts put        | been given in greening fuel will modi-                                             | In Effect Cottendor, October 12 1000                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|            | I monthly and subite me are considering of Women, the executive and delegates                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | forth by rolleions and philanthropic hodies                                               | cine, rent occasionally, and nursing in                                            | in thete Saturday October 15, 1900                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
|            | the question of help from the Far East, of which we were very happy to receive                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | for the proper training of our youth, there-                                              | one or two instances. Fuel has been                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|            | there seems a prospect that early in the enthusiastic and well attended. It was                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | of Women petition the Mayor and Board of                                                  |                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|            | new century a "Chinatown may be with great satisfaction that we learned                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Aldermen of this city to enact a by-law for                                               | milk to two or three families almost con-<br>stantly during the year; and clothing |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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|            | more determination in our council. May tenant-Governor, the Bishop of Colum-                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | ettes to boys under age.                                                                  | been received, besides large quantities of                                         | Leave Ladysmith                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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|            | women and children, and the stopping of the circulation of pernicious literature.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | the British Columbia Agricultural & Indust-                                               | pended during the year was \$761.75;                                               | P.M.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|            | Statistics gathered by these committees city council to us, for the entertainment                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                           | received, \$789.75. Our printed report in                                          | Leave Nanaimo                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
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|            | of every right-minded woman in Victoria able by most has also to make the minit                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Women approach the newly appointed                                                        | We are now nearing Christmas again.                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| - 1        | every possible way, and to shield the orary president of the National Council.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | men on the board, and the desirability                                                    | our friends are asked for at least two<br>new garments to give now, instead of old |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|            | young people in our midst from the appalling tide of evil literature that flows she found time to receive a deputation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | of again appointing this local council to                                                 | slather Ag we are part of the Wamen's                                              | On sale to and from all points good Saturday and Sunday.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|            | unchecked into the homes of our land. (and address from our council, who will                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | men's department at the exhibition of 1901.                                               | Council, we appeal to all of the ladies                                            | For rates and all information apply at Company's Offices.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| .          | Before I end, may I commend to the long remember that pleasant visit and                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Moved by Miss Cameron, seconded by Mrs.<br>Day,                                           | present here,<br>LAURETTA GOULD,                                                   | the company of company                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
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|            | much useful information respecting the add the name of Mrs. Robson to our                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | the legislature of the province has empowered the municipalities to pass curfew by-       | Friendly Help.                                                                     | GEO. H. COURTIVET, Traine Manager                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| IOM        | doings of the councils; and also may I list of life members, thus making three li                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                           |                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Tel 1      | urge upon all the importance of securing from our own Local Council, a copy of the verbatim report of the We had recently the great gratifica-                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Local Council of Women petition the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Victoria to pass       | ter's Little Liver Pills, if they will post-                                       | Read • The • Colonist                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| 9          | which this year cannot fail to be to us toria Lady Joly de Lotbiniere, ex-officia                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | the children of this city. Moved by Mrs.                                                  | small and easy to take.                                                            | I TAMES I TIP - AOTOTION                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
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IN ALL LINES FOR 3 DAYS, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday.

## Meetings and Amusements

Frank Daniels the Comic Opera Star to Appear This Week.

Sale of Work, Supper and Concert at Temperance Hall To-day.

The theatrical event of this week will be Frank Daniels' first appearance here in his new comic opera, "The Ameer," This is the comic opera in which he made the most the comic opera in which he made the most pronounced hit of his career last season. It is judged a worthy successor to his former triumph "The Idol's Eye." Daniels says inmiself that he considers "The Ameer' quite the best he has ever had. The character of the title role is, he adds, funder than any of its predecessors, and the music which comes from Yletor Herbert's fertile facts in his opinion, even prettier. There are more songs in the score than is usual in comic opera and among them are several of a topical character which Frank Daniels interprets, and, according to theat-field gosslp, his interpretation of them, as well as of the whole character of the Ameer, is deliciously humorous. Yletor Herbert's the composer of all the principal Miss L. Loewen and Miss Pitor, who took Miss Lebewer Mrs. Pemberton Miss L. Loewen and Miss Pitor, who took Miss L. Loewen and Miss Pitor, who took and if she could overcome that nervousness which is so inherent to many music-mess which is so inherent to mean the vices there were to be heard some of the voices there were to be heard some of the voices there were to be heard some of the voices there were to be heard some of the voices there were to be heard some of the voices there were to be heard some of the voices there were to be heard some of the voices there were t

engagement here is for two nights, thing Thursday. The sale of seats this morning at 9 o'clock at the Victook & Stationery store.

are cordially invited.

#### LADIES' CHORAL SOCIETY.

Give a Very Successful Concert at the Philharmonic Hall.

he inaugural concert of the Ladies

### LOCAL NEWS.

present chorus was selected from 387 applicants. The indges were Frank Daniels, Kirke La Shelle and the society reporter of one New York daily, the musical critic of another, and the art critic of a third.

Remarks Resented.—The committee representing those property owners of Victoria West who are opposed to the closing of Craigflower road called at the Colonist office last evening in regard to the remarks made at the council meeting. The remarks, they claim, were insulting, and they wished to show their resentment at the earliest possible moment.

The inaugural concert of the Ladies' Choral Society at the Philharmonic and last night was a distinct success. The society's a welcome addition to Victoria's musical organizations.

The programme commenced with a tenor solo by Mr. A. T. Goverd, who sang in spiendid voice. Mrs. Pemberson sang that pretty composition of Mr. W. H. Barton's, "There, Little Giel, Don't Cry," charmingly, Dr. Nash, who has been unheard for some time, next has been unheard for some time, next contributed, and Miss Hartnagel song a dainty waltz song. She was encored, and deservedly, and sang a morecau from South Africa. The subject of Mr.

# Who Said Turkey?

finest. No Xmas dinner will be com-plete without one. And while speaking of Xmas Dinners, see our stock of sensonable delicacles for the table. Fruits, Nuts, Peels, Raisins, Figs.

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Salt Spring Coal.—When the Sr Spring Syndicate became mergin the Mines Development Conpany, last October, boring f coal on Salt Spring Islam which had been going on nearly all sur mer, was discontinued. But it is to comence again at once. John Hamilto who was in the employ of the New Vacouver Coal Company for sixteen war.

#### **HAPPENINGS**

ON THE TRAIL

Stampedes From Tanana Victims of a Blizzard--Murder at Hootalingua.

her Dawson miner, who left the londike capital but a short time ago to in the rush to the recently found dispass in the Tanana country. The two cars were found frozen to despatches in Dawson, under date of November, the news having been brought there the day previous. The dead bodies of the two unfortunses were found by other stampeders, no were hurrying in to the Tanana, key were lifted from their winding teet of snow and ice and sledded to rele City by the finders, where they regiven burial. Banbe and his parity before the discovery of their of the with and were evidently overtaken by the heavy blizzard which had raged street, one door from Broad street, offers than can be obtained either in Ironton. Seattle or Son Francisco Parity before the discovery of their id bodies.

WITHOUT A DOCTOR'S EXAMINATION lost in obtaining Dr. Chase's Kidney-Lizer Puls, the world's greatest kidney cure One pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

LOUIS VEGELIUS DEAD.

Passed Away at Los Angeles, Where He Went in Search of Health,

Passed Away at Los Angeles, Where He Went in Search of Health.

Louis Vegilius, the well known Victoria capitalist, died yesterday morning at Los Angeles, Cal., where he had gone in search of health. The decensed was a native of Bavaria, where he was born 62 years ago. He emigrated to the United States in boyhood and came to Victoria in 1862, establishing here a barber shop, which is still carried on by his brother, A. Vigelius, By close attention to business, he made quite a fortune, which he invested in realty in Victoria and vicinity, being one of the larger holders of property. Mr. Vigelius held the confidence of the people of Victoria to a marked degree, being elected on ten different occasions as a member of the aldermanic board for Centre and North wards. He took a great interest in the affairs of the city, from active participation of which he has been kept by ill-health for a number of years. For a while he resided on his farm at Metchesin, in the hope of benefitting it, but this failing, he has been spending the last few winters in California. He went south this year in Ayanet last. The cause of death was bracchitis and asthma.

A widow, who was with him at the thing of his death, three brothers in Victoria and two brothers and a sister in Portland survive him. It is expected that the remains will be brought here for interment.

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### Business Pointers.

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Among the old-established financial institutions of Canada none stands higher than The Mutual Life Assurance of Canada, formerly The Ontario Mutual Life. Some particulars given in notice elsewhere in this issue.

R. Erskine yesterday sold a farm on South Saanich road, containing 110 acres, for \$1,500.

One of the finest farms in Saanich is offered for vale for \$14,000, by J. E. Church, of Trounce avenue. There are 145 acres in the farm. See list on page 8 No. 2.

ADMIRAL BICKFORD.

He Has Passed Winnipeg on His Way to the Pacific Coast.

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—(Special)—Rear-Admiral Sir Andrew Kennedy Bickford, C. M. G., was a passenger on the train for the West yesterday. He is going out to take command of the Pacific station, relieving Rear-Admiral Beaumont.

Lantern Service.—Easign Staigers travelling financial special of the Salvation Army, will conduct a very interesting lantern service at the Army hall, 42 Yates street, this evening, commencing at S o'clock.

FACE BLEMISHES BANISHED BY USING

Garfield Tea AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

on Saturday Next.

The following will be the Victoria team to represent the city at Vancouver next Saturday: J. A. Rithet, Gillespie, Scholefield, Gamble, Matters, Gillespie, Goward, Little, Cope, Fraser, Bromley, Lorimer, Schwengers, Pemberton and Johnston. The team will practise at the Caledonia grounds today at 5 p.m., and on Wednesday and Thursday at the same hour, at the J. B. A. A. All the members are requested to turn out at the above time and places. A junior team will also travel with the seniors, the names of the players appearing later.

Victoria Dogs Wins Two Principal

At the bench show recently held at Oakland, Cal., T. P. McConnell's English setted bitch won first prize in both the novice and open classes, and H. L. O'Brien's English setter, Victor L., won first in the open class for dogs. Thus Victoria contributed the two best English setters in the show.

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Meteorological Office, Victoria, Dec.10-8 p.m. Victoria, Dec.10-8 p.m. SYNOPSIS.

The extensive high barometer area still covers the whole country between the Pacile ocean and Northwestern Ontario, its centre, 30.52 inches being now in Assimabola. The pressure is lowest in the northern part of the province. The weather west of the Rockies has been cloudy, but mably cold, except in California, reported. In the Northwest fair dly cold weather prevails, but ave does not seem to affect the

| TEMPERATURE.                |         |      |
|-----------------------------|---------|------|
| TIME DIVING COMM            | Min.    | Max. |
| Victoria                    | 40      | 42   |
| New Westminster             | 30      | 34   |
| Kamloops                    | 34      | 40   |
| Barkerville                 | 22      | 32   |
| Calgary                     | 10      | 26   |
| Winnipeg                    | - 6     | 6    |
| Portland, Ore               | 34      | 46   |
| San Francisco, Cal          | 46      | 50   |
| FORECASTS.                  |         |      |
| For 24 hours from 5 a.m(Pac | ific ti | me)- |

For 24 hours from 5 a.m.—(Pacine time)— Tuesday vicinity: Light or moderate winds, chiefly easterly; mostly cloudy; not much change in temperature; occa-sional rain or sleet. Lower Mainland: Light winds; continued cloudy and moderately cold, with occa-sional rain or sleet.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Of servations taken daily at 5 a.m., noon an 5 p.m. SUNDAY, Dec. 9.

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Noon. 42 Highest 44
To p.m. 41 Lowest 40
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NEW WESTMINSTER.

MONDAY, Dec. 10. 

The velocity and direction of the wind re as follows: re as follows:
5 a.m. 3 miles northeast.
Noon. 2 miles east.
5 p.m. 4 miles northwest.
erage state of weather—Cloudy,
rometer at noon—Observed. 30.13
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### Busy Day in Police Court

Two Men Who Deserted From Navy Two Years Ago Surrender.

Charge Against Hume Yerrington Changed From Theft to

A typical Monday morning crowd lined the dock at the city police court yester-day, most of them petty offenders against the public morals by-law. In the Llewellyn, charged with vagrancy. They were hardly in the same class as the vags who have been arrested in such numbers lately, but belonged to the class who appear from their training to be unable to take care of themselves when adversity overtakes them. They were picked up by an officer on Saturday picked up by an officer on Saturday night because they had nowhere to sleep. They pleaded guilty to the charge, and were remanded for sentence until this morning, being allowed out on their own recognizance, in the hope that they would leave the city. In the afternoon they re-appeared at headquarters and confessed to the fact that they were deserters from the navy, having left II. M. S. Imperieuse two years ago. Like other bluejackets, they had found that their training did not fit them for life ashore. They were handed over to the authorities at Esquimalt.

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Next came the revenue-producing members of the party. An Indian who had partaken too freely of fire-water was fined \$7.50; a white drunk forfeited his bail of \$10, and a bluejacket arrested for the same offence was handed over to the naval authorities. For having \$30 of stolen money in his possession. Jack, an Indian, was sent down for 15 days, in default of a \$30 fine. The charge against Oscar Front of supplying the liquor was dismissed.

W. Baird and Joseph Willett were fined \$7.50 each for fighting on the streets. The first-named paid his, while Willett took the 15 days.

The hearing of the charge of theft against the two boys, Charles Hausen and D. Mills, was remanded until tomorrow; and the much-remanded case, of Ah Tim, charged with assault, went over until to-day. The prosecutor in the latter case, who has become what the lawyers call a hostile witness, is being held at the city lock-up to ensure his appearance in court.

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### Dredging for River Gold

Unreserved Auction Sale John Cobbledick Speaks on His Experiments on the Fraser.

> Expects to Build a Machine That Will Prove a Suc-

Vancouver, Dec. 10.—John W. Gobbledick left on Saturday for England to lay before his company the result of his season's work in dredging the Fraser river, near Lytton, for gold. Mr. Cobbledick is known to be an extremely cautious man in expressing his opinions, so that his statements regarding the pos-Fraser for gold are very encouraging. He says: "Myself and a few of my friends decided to experiment on the Fraser with a dredge built after the plan of the New Zealand dredges. We have learned much from practical ex-perience. First that the dredge is not suitable; second, we have ascertained the kind of dredge, such a gold dredge as was never built before, that will suc-cessfully handle the rough river bed; thirdly, that with proper repairs the present dredge will give satisfactory re-

was never built before, that will successfully handle the rough river bedit thirdly, that with proper repairs the present dredge will give satisfactory results."

This means that Mr. Cobbledick has proven to his own satisfaction that the Fraser river can be made to yield its gold profitably to the operator. It means that the Fraser river bed along its whole length will be worked by dredges built on the plan of the repaired Cobbledick dredge. It means a fresh and very profitable held for mining on the Pacific Coast.

Mr. Cobbledick further stated in answer to questions: "I shall not men from the vareage yield of gold per ton, nor shall I say what profits might be expected in proportion to outlay, but a fact of the profit of the purposes of prespecting. I have paid my way every working day with an unsuitable dredge, in the most unlikely part of the Fraser river. My friends was constructed; if you can make it pay there, the river where the dredge was constructed; if you can make it pay there, the river where the dredge was constructed; if you can make it pay there, the river where the dredge was constructed; if you can make it pay there, the river where the dredge was constructed; if you can make it pay there, the river where the dredge was constructed; if you can make it pay there, the river where the dredge was constructed; if you can make it pay there, the river where the dredge was constructed; if you can make it pay there, the river where the dredge was constructed; if you can make it pay there, the river where the dredge was constructed; if you can make it pay there, the river where the dredge was constructed; if you can make it pay the proposed new road to the following the proposed new road to the Month and the outlet of the proposed new road to the Month and the outlet of the proposed new road to the Month and the outlet of the proposed new road to the Month and the outlet of the proposed new ro

permitting the fine gold to settle at the permitting the fine gold to settle at the potnom, but along the sides where the stream flowed less swiftly. "I also exploded a popular idea, that there was great quantities of black sand if the Fraser. There is no such things, Not one-twentieth as much as in New Zcaland; in fact the gold-bearing directly that we get is very easily separated from the gold, and I believe that proper treats save almost all our gold. In fact I am making elaborate chemical experiments now to this end. I sail for England on the 19th of this month. I have shut down work until any return, as my employees were from New Zealand under special contract, and their time is up. On my return the repairs necessary will be made; if my report to my associates is satisfactory, and I think it will be we will be able to make a much more satisfactory test next summer."

Mr. Cobbledick said that he had sometimes thought that the provincial government should at least place no obstacles in his way to proving that the Fraser river treasure lies not only in its fish, because he is practically the pioner in the business and is getting all the bard knocks, while others who come after him will have comparatively smooth sailing. Owing to his experience, he said, that his dredge in prospecting the Fraser, however, would pay its way; he had no doubt of that by the gold he could recover in likely places he knew of.

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## **Auction Sale** Steamer Danube, which returned from

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FROM CHILLIWACK.

Garden Valley. Chilliwack, Dec. 4.-The Methodist Sunday school X mas tree entertainment ill be held in Henderson's hall on the

will be held in Henderson's hall on the 24th inst.

The Rev. W. H. Madill, of Mission, officiated in the Presbyterian church during the absence of the Rev. J. K. Wright, who officiated in like manner at Mission.

The people of Cheam will exhibit their Xmas tree on the 21st inst.

Mr. Farr, who was seriously injured by being thrown from his buggy about three weeks ago, is not improving, being still confined to his bed.

Miss White, the daughter of Mr. Joseph White, gave a dance to her friends at her parents' residence.

Mr. Joseph Gillanders, owing to the serious illness of his mother, returned home from New Westminster. He expects to resume his studies at Columbian College after the Christmas holidays.

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A social was given by the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Reese, and was a great success, financially and otherwise.

The bachelors, of Excelsior Lodge, No. 7, I.O.O.F., held their second monthly entertainment in their hall. There were about 80 people present, and all appeared to enjoy themselves in listening to a good musical programme, in wealth of milks of milks of the programme.

social conversation and in playing games of skill.

The time draws nigh for the municipal elections of reeve and councillors. Mr. A. H. Gillanders, councillor for Ward 5, it is understood, will retire, and Councillor McConnell will be opposed in Ward 6 by Mr. James Armstrong.

There has been considerable correspondence pro and con in the Progress anent the promosed new road to the Mount

Without Costs.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 10.—(Special)—
Judge McLeod dismissed the summons
in the Kings county election case, without costs. He said he had been asked
to direct the judge holding the recount
to hear objections and receive evidence
that had not been made or given before
the deputy returning officers. He quoted
Section 91, and thought under it he was
not sitting as a court of appeal, and
could not reverse the decision of the
judge holding the recount. He could
direct him to proceed. The point was
a new one, and he had consulted with
Chief Justice Tuck and Justice Barker,
and they had entirely concurred with
him. When the recount commenced,
counsel for Col. Domville held that
Judge Wedderburn should not count ballots that did not show the water-mark,
as specified by the Election Act. Judge
Wedderburn refused to concur with this
view, hence the appeal to Judge McLeod. The recount was adjourned until
Tuesday morning, when counsel for
Donville will probably take other action

## DISFRANCHISED

Ballot-Boxes Did Not Get to Atlin in Time for the Elections.

Skagway yesterday afternoon with seven passengers, including H. Wynne way, and wife, and E. M. Connel, a late arrival from Dawson, brought news AT 2 P. M.
THE CONTENTS OF TWO WELL FURNISHED HOUSES.
Don't rules this sale if you want bargains. the ballot boxes to all the points in the Burrard district. When the Dominion steamer sailed from here, it was expected that she would not be able to make the round required of her. Capt. Walbran evidently realized this, for, according to advices received by the Danube, the Atlin ballot boxes were transferred to the steamer Dirigo, of the A. S. S. Company, from Seattle for Skagway, at Alert bay, at least that was the report given to an officer of the Danube by one of those of the Quadra at the British Columbia port. The Danube sailed from Skagway on December 5—the day prior to the election day—and there was then no sign of the Dirigo at Skagway with the ballot boxes. Even should the steamer arrive soon after the sailing of the Danube, the returning officer cond not hope to get the boxes in over the trail to Atlin in one day, nor even two more with it. At Massett, where the Danube called to relieve the shortage of provisions, the voters had no chance to vote, the government steamer having made no call there. Whether she called at all the other points of call along the British Columbia coast in time to allow of the voters exercising their franchise on the given day, has yet to be the british Commbia coast in time to al-low of the voters exercising their fran-chise on the given day, has yet to be learned. She was seen at the Skeena when the Danube came down, but whether bound up or down, could not be learned.

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